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AND TACOMA COUNTIES.

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Minnesota schools got over \$80,
000 state money this year.

The striking employees of the
Texas Pacific road have stopped all
trains.

The St. Paul Dispatch has ap-
peared in a new spring dress and
head gear, and is much improved
thereby.

A syndicate is arranging to es-
tablish an oatmeal mill in Fargo.
There is none in the north, and
there is believed to be a good open-
ing there.

Governor Hubbard appointed L.
L. Baxter, of Fergus Falls, as judge
of the new seventh judicial district
on Monday. The appointment
gives general satisfaction.

The American News Company's
branch at St. Paul will institute a
test case in order to ascertain the
validity of the law in regard to
selling obscene literature.

The funds of Mille Lacs county
will be deposited in the First
National bank of Anoka. The
county receives 4 per cent per an-
num on monthly balances.

Both houses of the Dakota leg-
islature passed the woman's sur-
frage bill, and Governor Pierce
vetoed it. The governor has got
a vast amount of grit.

"The people know that the
Tribune is nobody's organ and is
not turned with a crank."—Tribune.

Just so. But it is the opinion
of the people that it is turned by
a crank.

It must be rather hard on Knute
Nelson to have C. F. Kindred dis-
place one of his faithful followers
at Duluth and fill it with a
political enemy of Mr. Nelson's—
Telegram.

Father McGolrick, the well-
known influential pastor of the
church of the Immaculate Concep-
tion, in Minneapolis, took a re-
solute stand against roller skating in
public rinks, on Sunday.

Miss Bagby, formerly of the Day
is flourishing in Minneapolis. She
has opened a neat little news stand
in the Webb block, on Third street
near Hennepin avenue, and is said
to be coining money in her ven-
ture.

Even! So.

Brainerd's Adam took a second-
hand Eve. The officers of the law
say it was forbidden fruit.—St.
Paul Dispatch.

Not Dead But Weary.

An Exchange says that the
Brainerd Tribune comes occasion-
ally but is so poorly printed that it
cannot be read. We suppose the
old thing has gone dead sure, for
not a copy of any kind has reach-
ed us in several months.—Long
Prairie Leader.

Duluth is terribly agitated for
fear the Brainerd & Northwestern
will be built, and her newspapers
call loudly on the people to come
to the rescue of the defunct Duluth
& Winnipeg with \$1,000,000, to help
revive the interest in the road.
The Herald says:
"In the early days of the exist-
ence of the Duluth & Winnipeg the
efforts of its owners were signal-
ized by gross mismanagement,
which not only resulted in crippling
the parties interested, but very
much disgusted our citizens; so
much so that very little encour-
agement has since been extended
to aid its progress.
Now admitting that our people
have been somewhat indifferent for
cause, and admitting that the Bos-
ton owners of the franchise have
been grossly to blame in the way
they have managed matters, is it
any the less true that the people of
Duluth want the Duluth & Winni-
peg railroad built and want it bad-
ly? If so, then the question is,
what are we going to do about it?"

A Good Choice.

An exchange says:
Dakota may have for its next
governor a man who for many
years was a resident of the good
state of Wisconsin. Word comes
that a strong effort will be made
to induce President Cleveland to
appoint J. N. Brundage of Dawson
to succeed Gov. Pierce. Mr. Brun-
dage will be remembered as a long-
time resident of Grand Rapids,
Wis., where most of the time he
was connected with the press. He
was also mayor, and made an ex-
cellent one. He was an officer in
the Forty-fourth Wisconsin, and
it may be in his favor that his col-
onel, Judge Symes, is a congressman
in Colorado; that Lieut. Col. O. C.
Bissel is postmaster at Glendive,
Dak., and that Maj. William War-
ner is congressman from the Kan-
sas City district, Missouri. Jack
Brundage possesses the ability to
make the thrifty young territory a
good, practical governor. There
are a good many people in Wiscon-
sin who would like very much to
be able to say, "How are you,
Gov. Brundage?"

Mr. Brundage is an old acquain-
tance of the editor of this paper,
having for some years lived near-
by to each other in Wisconsin,
in adjoining counties. If there is
a change made in the governorship
of that territory they could not
put a better man in the place
than Jack Brundage.

The Slander Mill Again at Work.

In the last issue of the down town
hand bill its editor tries to make
the people believe that he support-
ed some of the candidates during
the recent campaign. It did come
out at the last moment and say
that Carl Douglas should be elected
mayor, which is assigned as the
cause of his defeat, and with this
exception it supported no one, and
its editor had not the backbone to
do that until the last issue of his
paper, at which time he thought
that he had looked the field
over and for once in his life would
be sure of being on the side of a
winning candidate. That paper
says:

"The Tribune sees much reason
to be glad over the result of the
recent municipal election. It had
occasion to call attention to the
reckless mismanagement of the
people's affairs, by the people's ser-
vants, the city council, and it bold-
ly demanded retrenchment and re-
form in municipal affairs, and the
election of honest and capable men
only to represent their fellow citi-
zens in council. The Tribune fought
its fight alone and single handed,
and fully realizes that it made
many enemies by doing so. Yet
the people spoke plainly at the polls
on the third instant, and their voice
cannot be mistaken. In one ward
a candidate for re-election to coun-
cil was defeated at a caucus by an
overwhelming majority, and in an-
other ward a member, ambitious
to return, met his Waterloo at the
polls."

The man whom the Tribune tries
to vilify in the first instance is ex-
Alderman Thos. Watts, a man who
is well-known in this city as a
straight forward, honest citizen.
In the second instance D. E. Slipp
is brought in as one of the men
who was defeated because "the
people demanded retrenchment and
reform in municipal affairs and the
election of honest and capable men
to the council."

The candidacy of Con O'Brien,
in the first ward, also comes in for
its share of condemnation at the
hands of that paper, as the article
above is intended for the defeated
candidates.

Does the Tribune man think that
he can keep on in his obnoxious
and entirely uncalled for course, in
abusing and slandering the best
men in our city, after they have re-
turned from public life, as well as
during all the time they filled po-
sitions of trust as the people's ser-
vants in council? That this man,
who has been a resident of this city
less than a year, should set himself
up as a dictator to the public as to
which of our people are not thieves
and cut-throats, is ridiculous in
the extreme, and sooner or later he
will find out his mistake. He is no
respector of persons, and had any
of the gentlemen, who now form
the council, been defeated, and
whom he now so highly lauds, he
would have branded them as dis-
honest, as he does Thos. Watts and
D. E. Slipp. It is a direct insult
to the people of this city and to the
gentlemen in question, and no
apology that he may make in any
future issue, will have the power of
reconciling the slander.

The Log Out.

From a gentleman who has just
returned from a through tour
through all the logging portion of
this district we learn that the
season in general has been a most
successful one, and that the camps
have done excellent work. There
have only been about two thirds
as many camps this year as there
were last, and about the same
ratio of men employed. Up to
March there was no interruption
in the work, but the last thaw has
interfered considerably with op-
erations, and as a result it is pred-
icted that there will be a reduction
of fully fifteen per cent from the
amount which would have been
had the thaw come in April, as
usual. On Rnm River the snow is
all gone, and the camps are break-
ing up. Work is still being
prospected in the Pine river dis-
trict, but there is little snow, and
not much can be accomplished.
The upper Mississippi is still in a
condition which permits a fair
amount of work. On Rnm river
the cut will be about 40,000,000 feet
on Pine river, 30,000,000 feet; on
the upper Mississippi and streams
tributary to it, 75,000,000 feet, and
the smaller streams, not included
in the above about 55,000,000 feet,
making the total cut in the Second
district 200,000,000 feet. It is
probable that the revised figures
will make this amount. This is
something less than two-thirds of
the cut of last year, and one-half
of the season of 1888-4. In fact,
for the past six years the cut has
not been so light. All men will
come out of the woods about the
20th of this month.

From outside sources it is
learned that L. Day & Sons have
cut about 11,000,000 feet; Eastman,
Bovey & Co., 11,000,000 feet;
Nelson, Tenney & Co., 9,000,000 feet;
Clough Bros., 8,000,000 feet;
J. B. Bassett & Co., 7,000,000 feet.
The firms of W. D. Washburn &
Co., Merriman, Barrows & Co.,
Farnham & Lovejoy, John Martin
& Co., and Smith & Wyman cut
small amounts, ranging from 2,
000,000 to 5,000,000 feet.

There were held over in the
whole district, 154,000,000 feet of
logs, of which 120,000,000 are in
the Mississippi, in cluding logs
hung up, and those in the boom.
This will make a supply of 350,
000,000 feet, and when from this is
deducted the logs that are liable not
to reach the boom, it will be seen

that a decreased cut of Minneap-
olis mills for the coming summer
will in all probability be an abso-
lute necessity.

BAKING POWDER TRAMPS.

The danger to the public health
from the indiscriminate use of the
many fine and alum baking pow-
ders of commerce has been so
fully exposed that everybody de-
sires to avoid them. As "fore-
warned is forearmed," house-
keepers will thank us for apprising
them of the effort at present being
made to dispose of such powders
in this vicinity.

The proprietors of some of the
worst of these powders are now
going from house to house trying
by means of a trick, or so-called test
with heat and water, to show that
their article is as good as the
Royal Baking Powder, making the
comparison with this brand be-
cause everybody recognizes it to be
absolutely pure and wholesome, the
object, of course, being to supply
their own goods in place of the
Royal, which housekeepers have
for so many years relied upon to
puff up the morning biscuit, and
to make the light, palatable, and
wholesome roll, cake, and pastry
for which it is famous.

The housekeepers will do well to
be on her guard against these
baking powder tramps. Every
intelligent person knows that any
goods peddled from house to house
in this manner, or that are given
away in samples, are sought to be
introduced by secretly traducing
the character of other goods, well
known to be pure and reliable,
and have failed to find purchasers
through legitimate means.

They are informed that a matter
of fact, that one of these tramps
is trying to introduce a powder
that has been found by the Govern-
ment chemist to be 11.85 per cent
lime, while the other peddles a
powder that is 20 per cent alum—
one a powerful caustic, the other a
corrosive poison.

No such tricks or jugglery will
be apt to deceive any intelligent
person. The housekeepers who
have used the Royal Baking Pow-
der ever since she discarded
cream of tartar and soda, knows
more about its qualities than all
the tramps in the country can
teach her. The crucial test to
which she has put the Royal Baking
Powder—the test of actual
and successful work in the prepara-
tion of pure and wholesome food,
under which it has never failed—
is entirely satisfactory to her. She
has always had "good luck"
with it in making light, sweet, and
delicious bread, biscuit, and cake,
and has placed it, to stay, at the
head of her housekeeping favorites.
She knows that it has been offi-
cially approved by the Govern-
ment chemist as the best, and we
imagine that the baking powder
tramp, who attempts to supplant
its place in her confidence will
find this a bad year for his busi-
ness.

The Unkindest Out.

Among the officers still unfilld
by Gov. Hubbard is the inspector
of oleomargarine. We know of
no man more deserving at the
hands of the governor or better
qualified for the position than A.
J. Underwood of the Fergus Falls
Journal. It is hoped that Gov-
ernor Hubbard will not ignore his
claims or qualifications.—Fer-
gus Falls Telegram.

Celebrating St. Patrick.

DUBLIN, March 17.—PORTA Down
was the scene of a serious riot to-
day. A body of Nationalist riot-
ers wrecked the houses of certain
obnoxious parties. Bands of Or-
angemen paraded the streets. Great
excitement prevailed. There was
rioting also at Lurgan.

LONDON, March 17.—Parnell pre-
sided at a banquet in honor of St.
Patrick's day. In proposing a
toast to "The Irish Nation" he
predicted better times coming. He
paid a high tribute to the enter-
prise of far-seeing manufacturers,
who had advanced the industries of
Ireland to the position they now
have attained, but he thought if
Irishmen and Irishwomen, all over
the world, would use the excellent
products of Irish toil, wherever
practicable, to the exclusion of all
other products, the material pros-
perity of Ireland would be more
quickly developed, her financial in-
dependence be secured and her po-
litical independence speedily follow.

A Warm Reception.

Councilman Richardson, of
Barnes county, D. T., on his return
to Valley City from Bismark, where
he has been attending the Terri-
torial legislature was met at the
depot by citizens with a beautiful
supply of rotten eggs. This recep-
tion was a manifestation of the
popular appreciation of his
efforts in the legislature on behalf
of his constituents, and the farmers
in particular. A posse of police
came upon the scene, dispersed the
assembly, and saw the gentleman
safely home. He is also proprietor
of the Valley City Times.

Webster's Unabridged Illustrated.

Viewed as a whole, we are confi-
dent that no other living language
has a dictionary so fully and
faithfully sets forth its present con-
dition as this last edition of Web-
ster does that of our written and
spoken English tongue.—Harper's
Magazine.

St. Paul has a double murder
sensation on its hands. There was
a woman at the bottom of it.

The Racine wagon company are
out of pocket in the region of \$30,
000, by a defaulting bookkeeper.

The president's message, contain-
ing nominations, failed to reach
the senate before its adjournment.

All hands, from the manger
down to the supe, were arrested at
the Walnut street theatre, Phila-
delphia, because a \$500 license was
unpaid.

FATHER AND SON.

When Dean Richmond was Pres-
ident of the New York Central railroad, his
son Henry was a conductor on the road.
The elder Richmond was on his son's
train, and making no move to show s-
tucket or pass, was plunked asked by
the boy for a ticket. "Go away, I
haven't any," said he. "But," said the
conductor, "my orders are strict to let
nobody ride without a ticket or pass."
"Well, no matter," said Dean, "I'm
President of this road, and don't mind
either." "Can't help it, father, you see
how I'm fixed. Shall have to put you
off if you don't do one or the other."
The old man looked at him square in
the eyes, but as the son didn't quail
and looked a look that meant mischief,
the President deemed it best to come
down with the cash, and did, amid the
meriment of those around.

THE CRUSHED TRAGEDIAN.

"O, by the way, Tom," said an As-
tin lady to her husband just after
breakfast, "be sure and bring home that
new silk dress I ordered yesterday,
crushed strawberry, you know."
"Hark ye, Maria," replied the affec-
tionate and mellow-tempered Thomas,
"methinks I now cannot trace a close an-
alogy between crushed strawberry and
crushed pocket-books. Take that small
burden on my mind and nurse awhile,
my dear."—Texas Siftings.

The late ex-Senator Matt Carpen-
ter's house, who is said to have inherited
his father's genius, was asked when a
little boy what he would be when he
grew up, and replied: "Oh, I would
like to be a coachman, but I suppose
I've got to be a Senator!"

THE FAMILY DOCTOR.

There is much said and written with
regard to the indoor life of woman, and
much good advice given about spend-
ing more time in the open air, and pur-
suing her lungs with oxygen, but if
those whose household cares require
that they get out but little would learn
to keep the kitchen door closed when
washing is being done, or when any-
thing is being done, by the breathing of im-
pure air—Chicago Standard.

TREATMENT OF DIPHTHERIA.—In view
of the general lack of information with
regard to the proper treatment of dipht-
heria, the following resolutions were
adopted by the Philadelphia Board of
Health are interesting and valuable:
Recent investigations have proved
that the poison of diphtheria is portab-
le, communicable by infection, and
capable of reproducing itself outside of
the human body, diphtheria must now
be ranked as both a contagious and in-
fectious disease. The following rules
are, therefore, more imperative than
ever before:

1. When a child or young person has
a sore throat, a bad odor of the breath,
and especially if it has a fever, it should
immediately be separated and kept se-
cluded from all other persons except
necessary attendants, until it be ascer-
tained whether or not it has diphtheria,
or some other communicable disease.
2. Every person known to be sick
with diphtheria should be promptly
and effectually isolated from the pub-
lic. Only those persons who are actu-
ally necessary should have charge of or
visit the patients, and these visitors
should be restricted in their intercourse
with other individuals. Children re-
siding in a house where there is a case
of diphtheria should not be permitted
to attend school.

3. When a case of diphtheria is fully
developed, the same precaution in re-
gard to free ventilation, disposal and
disinfection of discharges, bed and body
clothes, etc., isolated during convales-
cence or management of the corpse
should be enforced which have already
been recommended in regard to
small-pox.

4. It is particularly important that
persons whose throats are tender or
sore from any cause should avoid pos-
sible exposure from the contagion of
diphtheria. Children under ten years
of age are in much greater danger of
taking the disease, and after they do
take it of dying from it, than grown
persons. But adults are not excepted,
and mild cases in them may cause wide
series of fatal attacks among children.
5. Numerous instances are recorded
where the contagion has retained its
virulence for weeks or months in cess-
pools, heaps of decaying vegetable mat-
ter, damp wells, etc., and been carried
for long distances in clothing, in sewers,
in waste-pipes from stationary wash-
stands, and in other conduits. Hence
all sewer connections and other carriers
of filth should be well ventilated and
disinfected, and children particularly
should not be allowed to breathe the air
of any water closet, cesspool or sewer
into which discharges from patients
sick with diphtheria have entered, nor
to drink water or milk which has been
exposed to such air.

6. Beware of any person who has a
sore throat; do not kiss such a per-
son or take his or her breath; do not
drink from the same cup, blow the
same whistle, nor put his pencil or pen
in your mouth.

7. Do not wear nor handle clothing
which has been worn by a person dur-
ing sickness or convalescence from
diphtheria.

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